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Applicants filed Amendment "A" by Certificate of Mailing dated September 27, 2004, and this was received at the Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 2004. A copy of the stamped postcard indicating receipt of Amendment "A", together with a check for \$420.00 for a two month extension fee, is attached hereto, together with a copy of originally-submitted Amendment "A".

The undersigned counsel was contacted by the Examiner and informed that the Examining Group did not receive Amendment "A". In view of the Re-submission of Amendment "A" together with evidence of the original timely filing thereof, consideration of Amendment "A" is respectfully requested.

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In response to the Office Action dated April 27, 2004, Applicant herewith amends the application as follows.